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(54) Combined hairdressing neck-brush and talcum powder dispenser

(57) A combined hairdressing neck-brush and talcum powder dispenser has a neck-brush 3, which is retractable for the purpose of preserving the bristles. The neck-brush retracts into the shell of the handle 4, by way of lever and thread or similar means (not shown), this operates by twisting the middle section of the handle clockwise. The lower section 6 of the handle is transparent and detachable, and is used for storing talcum powder. This section is detachable by means of screw thread 5. The base of the handle 7, acts as a shutter with holes that open and close, by turning the base of the handle. The transparent section 6 enables the rate of use of the talcum powder to be seen.

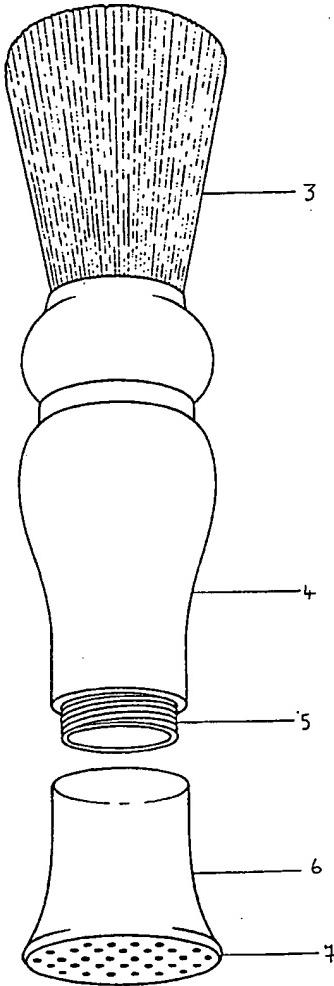


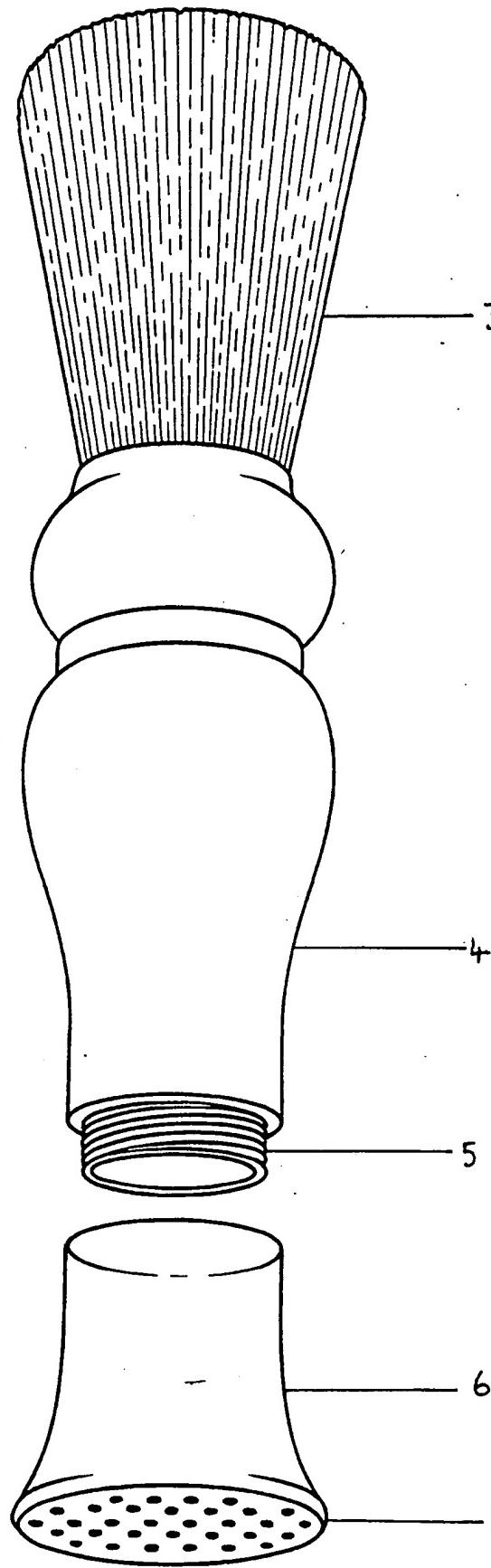
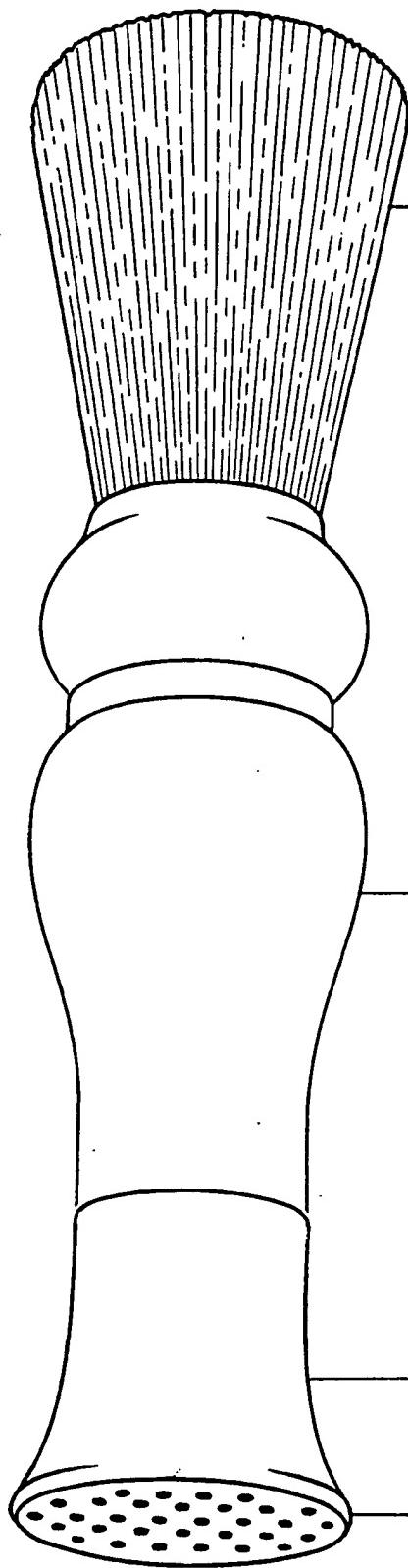
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HAIRRESSING NECK-BRUSH AND TALCUM POWDER DISPENSER

This invention relates to a retractable hairdressing neck-brush combined with transparent detachable talcum powder dispenser.

Hairdressing neck-brushes are a well known item and comprise a handle and attached bristle brush.

Hairdressing talcum powder dispensers are a well known item and comprise a dispenser and detachable lid, for the filling and disbursing of the talcum powder.

Hairdressing neck-brushes and talcum powder dispensers are, however separate items moreover when the neck-brush is in constant use the bristles of the brush can become out of shape. When the talcum powder dispenser is in use, it is used as a separate item, and the distribution rate of the talcum powder is seen, on opening the lid of the dispenser.

According to the present invention there is provided a retractable hairdressing neck-brush and also provides a transparent detachable talcum powder dispenser in one. The neck-brush retracts into the shell of the handle by twisting the middle section of the handle clockwise, thus working on a lever and thread enables the brush to retract and thereafter preserving the shape of the bristles. The lower section of the handle is transparent and detachable, and acts as a function for the filling and disbursing of the talcum powder. This section becomes detachable by means of untightening to release by twisting action. The disbursing of the talcum powder is operated from the base of the handle which also acts as a shutter with holes to open and close. The distribution rate of the talcum powder is seen, by means of transparent embodiment.

A specific embodiment of the invention will now be described by way example with reference to the accompanying drawing in which:-

Figure 1 shows in perspective, the Hair-dressing neck-brush and talcum powder dispenser in full open position;

Figure 2 illustrates the separation of the transparent lower section of the handle, from the body;

Figure 2 also illustrates the function of the base of the handle;

Figure 2 also illustrates the transparent embodiment of the lower section of the handle.

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Referring to the drawing the Hairdressing neck-brush and Talcum powder dispenser comprises a retractable neck-brush 3, which retracts into the shell of the handle/body 4, by way of lever and thread or similar means (not shown). The bottom section of the handle is transparent and detachable 6, for the use of storing the talcum powder. The base of the handle 7 also operates as a shutter with holes to open and close for the disbursing of the talcum powder.

In order to detach the lower section of the handle 6 from the body 4, this separates by untightening to release by a screw thread 5 as illustrated in fig 2.

In order to operate the base of the handle 7, which also acts as a function for the disbursing of the talcum powder, the base is turned clockwise by way of a shutter with holes to open and close as illustrated in fig 2.

In order to see the distribution rate of the talcum powder the embodiment of the lower section of the handle is transparent 6 as shown in fig 2.

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CLAIMS

i A retractable hairdressing neck-brush combined with transparent detachable talcum powder dispenser, comprising a retractable neck brush, for the preservation of the bristles. The lower section of the handle is transparent and detachable, for the use of the filling and the disbursing of the talcum powder. The disbursing of the talcum powder is operated from the base of the handle. The distribution rate of the talcum powder is seen by means of transparent embodiment.

2 A retractable hairdressing neck-brush combined with transparent detachable talcum powder dispenser as claimed in claim i wherein the retractable neck-brush operates by twisting the middle section of the handle clockwise, thus working on a lever and thread enables the brush to retract.

3 A retractable hairdressing neck-brush combined with transparent detachable talcum powder dispenser as claimed in claim i wherein the lower section of the handle is transparent and detachable and functions as a means for the filling and the disbursing of the talcum powder. This section becomes detachable by means of untightening to release by twisting action..

4 A retractable hairdressing neck-brush combined with transparent detachable talcum powder dispenser as claimed in claim i wherein the disbursing of the talcum powder is operated from the base of the handle. The base of the handle also acts as a shutter with holes to open or close, thus disbursing the talcum powder.

5 A retractable hairdressing neck-brush combined with transparent detachable talcum powder dispenser as claimed in claim i wherein the distribution rate of the talcum powder is seen by way of transparent embodiment.

6 A retractable hairdressing neck-brush combined with transparent detachable talcum powder dispenser substantially as described herein with reference to figures i-2 of the accompanying drawing.

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